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United States Agricultural Society. SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING

VOLUME XIII.

THE United States Agricultural Society will hold the first Angus Meeting in the Lecture Room of the Smithannian institution, at Washington city, on Wodnesday, the 12th day of Jansey, 1856, when the election of officers will then be held, and the

NOTICE is here by given to all persons who have not paid their taxes for the present year, and to all who are in arrears for previous years, that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, or as soon thereafter as the advertisement can be prepared, all property on which the taxes may remain unpaid will be advertised and sold for the taxes, as the law enjoins.

Those who do not wish to be put to the heavy expense attendant on the advertisement and sole are requested to pay in season.

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This course will consist of sixteen lessons, twee a week, of an hour and a half each. Terms, \$5 the course. He will employ Fasquelle's System of Instruction, and the colloqual exercises on the Halotry of Napoleou, by Alexandre Dumas the youngor. Forsons wishing to form a part of this class will please leave their names at Blanchard & Mohum's Bookstere, corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 11th atreet.

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Washington Aqueduct.

DROPOSALS are invited for materials and work for the Washington aqueduct, posals received up to 7th May will be opened at noon of that

ments as may be considered most conductive to the progress of the work.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guarantee, signed by one or more responsible persons, to the effect that he or they undertake that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their hid be accorpied, enter into an obligation, within ten days, with good and sufficient accurrities, for the completion of the work undertaken; and guarantee to be accompanied by the oscillateste of the Called States district ludge. United States district attempts, navy agent, or some officer of the general government or fadividual known to the Engineer or Department of War, that the guaranters are able to make good their guarantee.

Bids will be opened in presence of bidders, if any of them choose to be present.

Capt. of Engineers, in charge.

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HISTORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE UNI-ted States of America, as traced in the Writings of Alexander Hamilton and his contemporaries; by John C Hamilton. Volume 1.

CONGRESSIONAL

Thirty-Fifth Congress-First Session.

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1858

SENATE. Hon. Rouger Tooms, from the State of Georgia, appeared in his seat this morning.

Mr. SEWARD presented the petition of Nicholas D. P. Maillard, a citizen of the United States, now residing in Liverpool, England, praying the Senate to adopt measures to secure redress for wrongs and violence committed against him by a mob in Ireland. In his petition, the memorialist sets forth that in April, 1857, he became the purchaser of a large number of cattle sold at auction in Queens county, Ireland, and that when he sent for the cattle, for which he had previously paid, his men were resisted by a violent meb armed with bludgeons, and he was unable to procure necessary protection from the Irish anthorities. The petition was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. S. also presented the memorial of American shipmasters in the port of Havana, Cuba, praying a revision of the laws in relation to the shipments, discipline, and discharge of seamen in the merchant service: which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. MALIJORY presented a presentment of the grand jury of the United States district court for the northern district of Florida, relative to the amendment of the pilot act of August 30, 1852, and the erection of a marine hospital and custom-house at Apalschicola; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, together with another petition of citizens of Franklin county, Florida, praying the amendment of the pilot part of the procure of the presented to the Committee on Commerce, together with another petition of citizens of Franklin county, Florida, praying the amendment of the pilot presented to the petition of J. D. Dal-

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Mr. FESSENDEN presented the petition of J. D. Dalton and others, of New Sharon, Maine, praying the enactment of a law more effectually to enforce the provisions
of the constitution in relation to the recovery of fugitive
slaves; which was referred to the Committee on the Judictary.

diciary.

Mr. BIGLER presented the petition of the widow and children of Andrew Knox, of the firm of Knox & Pope, praying indemnity for the capture and condemnation of the ship Eleanor by the British government under the Berlin and Milan decrees in 1810; which was referred to the Committee of Claims.

Numerous other petitions were presented and referred to the appropriate committees.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. BENJAMIN, from the Committee on Private Land Claims, reported a bill for the relief of John R. Temple, of Louisiana, and a bill to confirm the title of Henry Volcker to a certain tract of land in the Territory of New-Mexico; which were severally read and passed to a sec-ond reading.

Mr. BENJAMIN submitted the following resolution:
which was referred to the Committee on Printing:
Resolved, That there be printed for the use of the Sentet eventy thousand copies of the Opinions of the Judges of the Supreme Court in the case of Dred Scott vs. John F. A. Sanford.

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Mr. FESSENDEN gave notice that to-morrow, or on some early day thereafter, be should ask leave to introduce a bill for the ascertainment and satisfaction of claims of American citizens for spollations committed by the French prior to the 31st day of July, 1801.

Mr. BENJAMIN gave notice that to-morrow, or on some early day thereafter, he should ask leave to introduce a bill to authorize the improvement of the Mississippi, Missouri, Arkansas, and Ohio rivers by contract, and making appropriations for the same.

Mr. POLK gave notice that to-morrow, or on some early day thereafter, he should ask leave to introduce a

early day thereafter, he should ask leave to introduce a bill to settle doubts in relation to the title of certain com-nion field lots in the State of Missouri heretofore granted to the inhabitants of St. Louis for the support of schools; also, a bill for the relief of Marie Lisa and Joachin Lisa

Mr. MALLORY submitted the following resolution; which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed

to:

Resolved, 'That the Committee on the Post Office and
Post Roads be required to examine into the expediency of
establishing a mail between Montgomery, Alabama, and
Pensacola, Florida, via Greenville and Sparta, Alabama.
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which was considered by unanimous consent and agreed

Resolved, That the Secretary of War be directed to communicate to the Senate such surveys of harbors on Lakes Superior, Michigan, Huron, St. Clair, and Ecie, in the State of Michigan, as have not been hitherto communicated, together with such estimates as may have been made for the improvement of said harbors.

On motion by Mr. FITZPATRICK, a resolution was adopted requesting the President, as far as may be compatible with the public interest, to communicate to the Senate the correspondence, instructions, and orders to the United States naval forces on the coast of Central America, connected with the arrest of William Walker and his associates at or near the port of San Juan, in Nicaragua; and, also, to transmit such further information as he may possess in relation to that event.

principal features. It provides for the admission of Kansas into the Union under the Lecompton constitution, with the same boundaries as defined by the bill of the last Congress. It also requires that the seventh article of the constitution, relative to alsover, shall be submitted to a direct vote of the qualified electron on the seventh day of April, 1858, and that the returns of this election shall be made to the governor of the Territory instead of the president of the convention; and the election is to be conducted in obedience to the laws in force on the 7th of November last. It also provides that the constitution shall not be so construed as to limit or impair the rights of the people at any time to call a convention for the purpose of altering, amending, or abolishing their form of government, subject to the constitution of the United States. The ordinance of the constitution in reference to the public lands is to be rejected. Mr. Pron stated that he would swall himself of an early opportunity to explain the provisions of the bill more in detail.

ediciency of the navy, was taken up and discussed for some time by Mesers. CRITTENDEN, FISSENDEN, BAYARD, COMMANIER, and others: but the hour having arrived for the consideration of the special order, the resolution was postpored without any action having been taken thereon.

After prayer, the journal of yesterday was read and adopted.

Mr. Farsworth, of Illinois, appeared, was qualified, and took his seat within the bar of the House.

The SPEAKER laid before the House a letter from Hon. Nathante, P. Banks, of Massachusetts, informing the body that he had on the 24th ult. placed in the hands of the governor of Massachusetts his resignation as a member of Congress, and that from and after that date his seat would be vacant; which was haid on the table.

The SPEAKER also laid before the body a letter from the Secretary of State, transmitting a communication in relation to the claim of Michael Papprentizs, an Austrian subject; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and ordered to be printed.

Also, a letter from the Secretary of State, transmitting a statement from the Superintendent of Statistics of the commercial relations of the United States with foreign nations for the year ending September 30, 1857; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, and ordered to be printed.

Also, a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting the annual statement of the contingent expenses of his department during the last fiscal year; which was laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

Also, a letter from the Secretary of the Navy, transmitting an abstract of offers received for furnishing articles to the Bureau of Docks and Yards during the last facal year; which was laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

Mr. CLINGMAN, of North Carolina, then asked unanimous consent to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President be requested to communicate to this House, if not incompatible with the public interest, all the information in his possession in relation to the late seizure of General Win. Walker and his followers in Nicaragua, together with such instructions as may have been given to our naval officers and other officials portaining to the subject. Objection being made,
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Mr. CLINGMAN moved that the rules be suspended; which motion was agreed to—ayes 117, noes 7.

Mr. CLINGMAN then remarked that it seemed to him that one moment's reflection would satisfy the House that his resolution should be adopted. It involved three objects of great importance. First, the question in relation to the right of Walker and his followers—whether or not they had any claims upon us. Second, there was a question as to the rights of Nicaragua, Costa Rica, or whoever owned the country invaded. And there was a question of still more importance, and that was that it appeared that one of our officers had gone with a body of armed men into a territory clearly a foreign one, and exercised force, and brought away one or two hundred persons. It would strike everybody as an act of war, and its justification did not depend at all upon either of the three questions.

mr. RITCHIE, of Pennsylvania, thought the proc righter from justice from this country, and that the omcer had a right to arrest him anywhere.

Mr. CLINGMAN said that he heard the suggestion
with great pleasure, but did not think that justified an
act of this kind. He held that the government was
bound to disavow it.

Mr. WARREN, of Arkansas, objected to a discussion

Mr. WARREN, of Arkansas, objected to a discussion of the merits of the question on a resolution simply asking for information. While he was prepared to vote for the resolution, he was not prepared to discuss it.

Mr. JONES, of Tennessee, remarked that, in addition to the information called for by the resolution, they should have all information in possession of the President dent touching the fitting out of an expedition by a pergon who had expatriated himself. He desired that the resolution should be so amended that the President should transmit to the House all information in his possession touching the fitting out of an expedition in the United States by Wm. Walker, and leaving this country to go to Nicaragua.

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The SPEAKER. The gentleman will reduce his Mr. FAULKNER, of Virginia, remarking that he thought he could furnish the gentleman with what he wanted, sent to the Clerk's desk the following resolu-

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Mr. MARSHALL then submitted his amendment to the

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On motion of Mr. STEPHENS, of Georgia, the folio

the improvement of the harbor of Oswego, No.

By Mr. KELSEY, of New York: A bill to
equalize the mileage of members of Congress.

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By Mr. HATCH, of New York: A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a register or enrellment to the vessel called the James Meladoc, new owned by Thomas Coatesworth, James G. Coatesworth, and Wns. Coatesworth, of Buffalo, New York.

By Mr. FLORENCE, of Pennsylvania: A bill to equalize the army, navy, and marine pensions.

By Mr. GROW, of Pennsylvania: A bill to secure homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain.

By E. JOY MORRIS, of Pennsylvania: A bill making appropriations for the continuance of harbor improve-

relief of John N. Dobbin, late a purser in the navy of the United States.

Also, a bill to alter the place of holding the fall term of the circuit court for the district of North Carolina.

By Mr. KEFIT, of South Carolina: A bill entitled an act to raise and organise for the defence of the frontier of Texas one regiment of mounted volunteers.

By Mr. MILES, of South Carolina: A bill to alter the times of holding the United States district courts in South Carolina.

By Mr. GARTRELL, of Georgia: A bill to grant bounty land to the officers and soldlers of Captain Joseph H. Burk's and Wm. D. Alexander's companies of Merri-

H. Burk's and Wm. D. Alexander's companies of Metrivether county volunteers.

By Mr. SHORTER, of Alabama: A bill to provide further examination and payment of certain claims of different construction and payment of certain claims.

By Mr. DOWDELL, of Alabama: A bill authorizing the construction of a building at Montgomery, State of Alabama, for a court-house and post office.

By Mr. BARKSDALE, of Mississippi: A bill making a grant of land to the States of Louisians and Mississippi to aid in the construction of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern milroad.

Also, a bill establishing a mail route from Granada to Macon, in the State of Mississippi.

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By Mr. DAVIDSON, of Louisiana: A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to fix the graduation prices for lands in the Greensburg district, in the State of Louisiana," approved August 18, 1856.

By Mr. TAYLOR, of Louisiana: A bill to remove obstructions in the bayou Lafouche, Louisiana.

Also, a bill for the relief of the heirs and legal representatives of Pierre Broussard, deceased.

By Mr. SANDIDGE, of Louisiana: A bill for the relief of John W. Chevis, of Louisiana.

By Mr. WADE, of Ohio: A bill to amend an act criticed "An act to limit the liability of ship-owners, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1867.

By Mr. BLISS, of Ohio: A bill for completing the repairs upon the harbor of Black river upon

Ohio.

By Mr. SHERMAN, of Ohio: A bill granting to the of-leers, musicians, and privates of Captain Joseph Quigley's company of Ohio militia in the war of 1812 each 160 seres of land.

By Mr. MOTT, of Ohio: A bill making an appropria-tion for the improvement of the navigation of the Mau-nec bay, on Lake Eric.

By Mr. LEITER, of Ohio: A bill for the retief of Wil-

By Mr. LETTER, of Ohio: A bill for the relief of William Kingabury, of Ohio.

By Mr. BURNETT, of Kentucky: A bill for the relief of Richard B. Alexander, late a major in the first Tennessee regiment, Mexican war.

By Mr. MAYNARD, of Tennessee: A bill granting pensions to the surviving officers, soldiers, and marines engaged in the military and naval service of the United States prior to the 1st day of July, 1818, and to the vidows of such as are decessed.

By Mr. READY, of Tennessee: A bill to establish a post route from Franklin, in Williamson county, Tennessee, By Mr. ZOLLICOFFER, of Tennessee: A bill for the establishment of a branch military academy at the Hermitage.

mitage.

By Mr. ATKINS, of Tennessee: A bill for the relief of Samuel Winn, the only surviving child of General Richard Winn, a revolutionary officer.

By Mr. WRIGHT, of Tennessee: A bill granting a pen-

By Mr. PETTT, of Indiana: A bill for the receive of Benjamin Sayre.

By Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois: A bill further to amend "An act to provide for the better security of the lives of passengers on board of vessels propelled in whole or in part by steam, and for other purposes."

By Mr. MORRIS, of Illinois: A bill to provide for crecting a building in the city of Quincy, in the State of Illinois, for a custom-house and post office.

By Mr. HARRIS, of Illinois: A bill to queend an act entitled "An act for the relief of Leonard Loomis," approved June 28, 1838.

By Mr. HARRIB, of Illinois: A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of Leonard Loomis," approved June 28, 1838.

By Mr. KELLOGG, of Illinois: A bill for an act to authorize the holding of terms of the streut and district courts of the United States at the city of Peoris.

By Mr. PHELPS, of Missouri: A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of horizand other property lost or destroyed in the military service of the United States," approved March 3d, 1849.

By Mr. BLAIR, of Missouri: A bill to authorize the contractors for carrying the overland neal from the Mississippi river to San Francisco, under the act of Congress approved 3d March, 1857, to adopt any route they may select to carry the same upon.

By Mr. GREENWOOD, of Arkanas: A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to establish a court for the investigation of claims against the United States," approved February 4, 1855.

By Mr. LEACH, of Michigan: A bill making an appropriation for the improvement of the St. Mary's Fall's ship canal, in the State of Michigan: A bill making an appropriation for the construction of a harbor at the mouth of Grand river, in the State of Michigan.

By Mr. WALBRIDGE, of Wisconsin: A bill for continuing